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In re the application of:

Confirmation No: 2141

F. BENEDINI et al.

Art Unit: 1614

Application Number: 10/031,412

Examiner: Ebenezer SACKY

Filed: January 18, 2002

Attorney Dkt. No.: 108907-00025

For: PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF NAPROXENE
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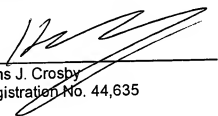
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Sir:

Applicants petition for an extension of time for one month for response to the outstanding Office Action dated January 30, 2003 from April 30, 2003 to May 30, 2003.

Please find attached a check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the fee discussed above. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

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